

A CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

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To  
My Wife, Ida,  
and to  
My Children,

Whose Help and Companionship are a Constant Inspiration

## PREFACE

Demands for literature by Negro authors are rapidly advancing from two quarters; from the increasing public of educated Negroes and from those growing numbers of white people who earnestly desire to know what the Negro is thinking, and what are his accomplishments. Very recently a book by a Negro author<sup>1</sup> reached a circulation of 80,000 within a few months. When we consider such demands, when we reflect further that there are 500 newspapers and magazines and other publications by Negroes,<sup>2</sup> it can be readily seen that the need for some sort of formal list of this branch of American literature is imperative.

This Chronological Outline of Negro authors and their works, together with dates and works significant in the literary life of the Negro in America, was prepared at the suggestion of the Department of English of the University of Kansas. As is true in many literatures, the exact dates of birth and death of authors, as well as dates of publications, are frequently missing, even after laborious search.

An undertaking of this kind is almost endless. Like Goldsmith's Circle, it "lures from afar, yet as I

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1. Haynes, George E. The Trend of Races.
  2. Detweiler. The Negro Press.

follow, films"; that is, new names, new dates, confusion of dates, questions sometimes of the race identity of authors, continually offer new paths of pursuit, paths that could lead on endlessly. However, where authors and race identity are not known, usually the author has not been of primary significance, but rather the book written. With real ranking authors in Negro literature, dates, names, titles, and race identity can be, in general, ascertained, with a fair degree of accuracy.

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Crisis; the book review section of the Southern Workman;  
and the Journal of Negro History, volumes I, II, III,  
IV, V, VI.

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### I. Significant Dates, 1619 - 1720.

1619. First cargo of slaves, Jamestown, Virginia.

1620. First public school in Virginia for Indians and Negroes.

1633. Massachusetts entered the slave trade.

1640. John Punch condemned to serve for life.

1641. Massachusetts' Bodies of Liberty declared against slavery.

1652. Birth of Judge Samuel Sewall.

1700. Judge Samuel Sewall published tract against slavery.

1701. Boston instructed representatives to end slavery.

Organization of society in England to carry gospel to American Negroes and Indians.

1704. Founding of school for slaves in New York City by Elias Neau.

1705. The Rev. Samuel Thomas taught slaves in South Carolina.

1711. The Quakers condemned slavery in Philadelphia.

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1712. Louisiana adopted the "Black Code".  
 Pennsylvania imposed heavy duties (20 pounds) on imported slaves.
1713. Birth of Anthony Benezet, anti-slavery leader.
1716. New Jersey and Rhode Island Quakers declared against purchase of slaves.
1718. William Burling of Long Island issued a tract against slavery.

## II. Chronological Outline, 1720 - 1923

1720

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1. Charleston, South Carolina, slave insurrection.  
The American Mercury (Philadelphia) advertised for runaway white and negro slaves.  
 Slaves outnumbered whites in South Carolina.  
 Transportation of slaves to Louisiana by the Law Company.
3. Birth of John Woolman, Burlington, New Jersey.  
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 Birth of JUPITER HAMMON.

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# The Arabic figures indicate as follows: 1, historical events; 2, deaths; 3, births; 4, non-Negro publications; 5, books by Negroes; 6, Negro periodicals.

## Hereafter, all names of Negroes are capitalized.

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1721

1. The American Mercury (Philadelphia) advertised for runaway slaves who spoke good English.

Delaware accorded legal recognition to slavery.

The Law Company sought legal precedents for dealing with slaves.

1722

1. Insurrection of slaves along the Rappahannock River, in Virginia.
2. Death of Elias Neau, founder of the New York school for slaves.

1723

1. Board of Trade in England allowed duty on slaves provided it be collected from purchaser and not from seller.

Negroes and other slaves plot to burn Boston to get freedom.

Philadelphia American Weekly Mercury (June 20) advertised for a lost negro girl of 16 and a boy of 14 speaking good English.

The same paper advertised for a man of thirty who "speaks very good English".

Virginia Free Negroes deprived of further right to vote.

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1724

1. Bienville published a Black Code, legalizing education of slaves in Louisiana.

A document issued "Encouraging the Christian Education of Indian, Negro, and Mulatto Children" at Lambeth, Virginia.

Mulattoes and free Negroes in Louisiana won decision of court in capitation tax suit.

1726

1. The Rev. Mr. Wetmore succeeded Elias Neau as teacher of slaves.

1727

1. Bishop Gibson of London issued appeal to colonists exhorting masters and mistresses to promote instruction of Negroes in Christian faith.

Slave traffic in Massachusetts reached its height.

1729

1. Decision of York and Talbot that slaves might be held in England as well as in colonies.

Gov. Perier of Louisiana armed a band of slaves to fight Choctaw Indians at Chouchas.

The governor of Virginia and the state assembly granted freedom to a slave for the discovery of a wonderful herb medicine.

Ruling of Lords Hardwicke and Talbot that slaves transported to free territory were not free.

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Solicitor-General of England declared that baptism in no way changed the status of slaves.

4. Mystery of Iniquity, a condemnation of slavery, published by Ralph Sanford.

## 1730

1. Cherokee Chiefs carried to England by Sir Alexander Cumming to make treaty concerning the return of all runaway slaves.

Le PETIT Recorded instruction was given to boarders, to the girls who lived without, and to the Negro women in Louisiana.

Slaves of Louisiana accompanied white men in exploration up the Mississippi to aid Illinois settlement.

Marriage of ROBERT and MARY BANNEKER.

Negroes of Williamsburg, Virginia, plotted insurrection for freedom.

Rebellion of slaves in South Carolina.

2. Death of Samuel Sewall, author of The Selling of Joseph.

## 1731

1. Rhode Island Negroes plotted uprising for freedom.

The Quakers of North Carolina opened schools for slaves.

3. Birth of BENJAMIN BANNEKER, noted astronomer.

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1732

1. British Board of Trade made slaves equivalent to money or property in settling debts.

The Rev. Mr. Charlton succeeded Elias Neau in teaching Negroes in New York.

Georgia Colony chartered without slaves.

1736

1. Anthony Benezet, Quaker, came to America.

1737

1. BANNEKER'S father purchased an estate.

Benjamin Lay published treatise against slavery.

1741

1. North Carolina enacted a law punishing by cutting off ears any "Negro, Mulatto, or Indian found to testify falsely".

1745

1. School established for Negroes in Charleston, South Carolina.

1746

3. Birth of ABSALOM JONES.



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1750

1. Evening school for Negroes established in Philadelphia by Anthony Benezet.

School established in Maryland for Negroes and poor whites.

3. Birth of GEORGE LEILE, Negro preacher, in Savannah, who established a Baptist Church in Jamaica.

1753

1. BANNEKER invented the first American clock.

3. Birth of the REV. LEMUEL HAYNES, First Congregational Minister among Negroes. He was also a pastor of white congregation.

Probable birth date of PHILLIS WHEATLEY.

4. First part of Some Considerations on Keeping of Negroes, by John Woolman, published.

1754

1. BENJAMIN BANNEKER began literary activity.

1757

2. Death of BANNEKER'S father.

1759

3. Birth of PAUL CUFFEE, Negro explorer and philanthropist.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

1760

1. JUPITER HAMMON began his literary activity.
3. Birth of RICHARD ALLEN, first Negro bishop in United States.
5. HAMMON, JUPITER. An Evening Thought. Long Island.
- " " Salvation by Christ. "

1761

1. PHILLIS WHEATLEY brought to America and sold.

1762

4. Last part of Considerations on Keeping Negroes by John Woolman, published.

1763

1. Manual Training School established for Indians and Negroes in North Carolina.

1765

1. Massachusetts census shows Negroes in all but three counties.

1766

4. A Caution to Great Britain and her Colonies by Anthony Benezet.

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1767

3. Birth of ~~JOHN~~ DERHAM, first Negro physician in America.

1770

1. PHILLIS WHEATLEY began literary activity.
5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Poem on the Death of the Reverend George Whitefield. Boston.

1772

1. Erection of Elliott's Mills near BANNEKER'S home.
2. Death of John Woolman, anti-slavery agitator.

1773

4. Brief Considerations on Slavery, by Anthony Benezet. Burlington, New Jersey.
5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Poems on Various Subjects, Religious and Moral. London and Boston.

1774

1. Governor of Massachusetts attested genuineness of PHILLIS WHEATLEY'S poems.

1775

3. Birth of SOJOURNER TRUTH, author and lecturer.

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5. PHILLIS WHEATLEY addressed letter and poem to George Washington.

1776

1. George Washington wrote a letter to PHILLIS WHEATLEY, praising her poem.
3. Birth of JAMES FORTEN, who with two other men raised 2,500 colored volunteers to protect Philadelphia.

Birth of JOHN GLOUCESTER, first Negro in Presbyterian Church educated for leadership.

5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Poem addressed to George Washington. In American Monthly.

1778

5. HAMMON, JUPITER. An Address to PHILLIS WHEATLEY. Hartford.

1779

3. Birth of J. K. Paulding, author.
5. HAMMON, JUPITER. An Essay on the Ten Virgins. Hartford.

1780

3. Birth of Lot Carey, first missionary to Liberia and one of the leading spirits in founding that colony.

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1782

1. Beginning of Divergence of North and South on Slavery, in framing of the Constitution.
5. HAMMON, JUPITER. A Winter Piece. Hartford.

1783

1. The Rev. GEORGE LITTLE founded a church in Jamaica.

1784

2. Death of PHILLIS WHEATLEY.  
Death of Anthony Benezet, anti-slavery leader.
4. Benezet, Anthony. The Case of Our Fellow Preachers. Philadelphia.
5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Elegy Sacred to the Memory of Dr. Samuel Cooper. Boston.  
WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Liberty and Peace. Boston.

1785

1. Colored Baptist Church organized at Williamsburg, Virginia.
3. Birth of Samuel E. Sewall, Second; lawyer and anti-slavery worker.  
Birth of DANIEL WALKER, first Negro to attack slavery through the press.

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1786

1. George Washington referred to slaves being helped to freedom by Quakers. (First known reference to the "Underground Railway".)

New York African free school established.

5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of Works. Philadelphia.

1787

1. Elliott loans BANNEKER tables and Ferguson's Astronomy.

RICHARD ALLEN and followers organized "Independent Methodist Church" at Philadelphia. (A.M.E.)

5. HAMMON, JUPITER. An Address to the Negroes in the State of New York. New York. 2nd. ed. Philadelphia.

HAMMON, JUPITER. An Evening Improvement, including the Kind Master and Dutiful Slave. Hartford. (Possibly 1782.)

1788

1. First African Baptist Church organized at Savannah, Georgia. ANDREW BRYAN, a slave, first pastor.

Slaves published articles against slavery in American Museum.

1789

1. BANNEKER appointed one of the surveyors of the District of Columbia.

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1790

1. African Baptist Church organized at Lexington, Kentucky.

Franklin presented petition to Congress against slavery.

1791

1. ABRAHAM JONES founded St. Thomas' Episcopal Church at Philadelphia.
4. Jefferson wrote BANNEKER and sent BANNEKER'S Almanac to Condorcet, at Paris.
5. BANNEKER addressed a letter to Jefferson on the question of Negro freedom.

1792

5. BANNEKER. First Almanac.
- LEWIS, GEORGE. Letters ~~fr~~ on establishment of church.

1793

1. Springfield Baptist Church organized at Augusta, Georgia.
4. Webster, Noah, Jr. Effects of Slavery on Morals and Industry.
5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of Works. Albany.

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1795

1. PAUL CUFFEE took cargo of corn from Massachusetts to Maryland.
3. Birth of STEPHEN SMITH, Negro philanthropist and business man.

Birth of G. M. STROUD, author.

1796

1. African Methodist Episcopal Zion denomination began the organization of Colored Methodist Church in New York City.

1797

1. Ordination of RICHARD ALLEN as Deacon.

PAUL CUFFEE built school house for Negro and Indian children in Massachusetts.

1798

1. Kosciuszko Fund for Negro education established.

Negroes of Boston established a private school.

1799

3. Birth of GEORGE HORTON.

Birth of JOHN BROWN RUSSWORM, editor of first Negro newspaper published in the United States.  
Freedman's Journal.



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1800

1. The Abyssinia Baptist Church organized in New York City.

ROBERT PLEASANT, of Virginia, left by will a school house and 350 acres of land for benefit of Negro children.

3. Birth of WILLIAM CHAMBERS, author.

1801

1. JOHN CHAVIS, Negro preacher and teacher, sent out by Presbyterians as missionary to Negroes.
5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of Works. Philadelphia.

1802

3. Birth of Elijah P. Lovejoy, anti-slavery worker.
- Birth of Lydia Maria Child, author and lecturer.

1803

1. Miner's Moralist Society School established by seven free colored men in Charleston, South Carolina.

1804

3. Birth of LOUISE COSTON, teacher.

WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of Works. Hartford, Connecticut.

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1805

1. The African Meeting House, first Negro Church in Boston and in New England, organized.

Organization by JOSEPH WILLIS of first Baptist Church west of the Mississippi.

3. Birth of Marie Becroft, noted teacher in District of Columbia.

Birth of William Lloyd Garrison.

1806

2. Death of BENJAMIN BANNEKER, noted astronomer.

Probable death date of JUPITER HAMMON.

3. Birth of Nehemiah Adams, author of A South Side View of Slavery.

5. HAMMON, JUPITER, Third edition of An Address to Negroes in the State of New York. New York.

1807

1. First schoolhouse for colored children in Washington, D.C. opened.

3. Birth of CHARLES RAY, editor.

1808

1. The African third of the John Parish Educational Fund first separately appropriated.

3. Birth of ELIZABETH T. GREENFIELD, singer.

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1809

## 3. Birth of Abraham Lincoln.

Birth of George Livermore, author of Historical Research Reflecting Opinions of Founders of Republic on Negroes - as Slaves, as Citizens, as Soldiers.

1810

## 2. Death of HARRY HOSIER, preacher pronounced by some the greatest orator in America at that time.

## 3. Birth of CHARLES LENOX REDMOND, first Negro anti-slavery speaker.

Birth of IRA ALDRIDGE, the greatest Negro actor.

Birth of THOMY LAFON, teacher, business man, philanthropist, in New Orleans.

1811

## 1. PAUL CUFFEE landed in Africa and organized The Friendly Society in Sierra Leone.

CUFFEE visited Thomas Clarkson and William Wilberforce in London.

## 3. Birth of O. Lovejoy, author.

Birth of BISHOP DANIEL A. PAYNE. (Born free.)

Birth of Harriet Beecher Stowe.

1812

## 3. Birth of JOHN JASPER, famous Negro preacher in Virginia.

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1813

3. Birth of Henry Ward Beecher, anti-slavery orator.
5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of Works. Halifax.

1815

3. Birth of HENRY GARNETT, noted educator and preacher.  
Birth of LEWIS HAYDEN, first colored office holder  
before the Civil War.

1816

3. Birth of WILLIAM WELLS BROWN, historian.
5. WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of Works. ("New England.")

1817

1. First Convention of Free Negroes held in Philadelphia.  
Slaves liberated in New York.  
SOJOURNER TRUTH, abolitionist and lecturer, set free.
2. Death of PAUL CUFFEE, colonizer.
3. Birth of FREDERICK DOUGLASS.

1818

3. Birth of ALEXANDER CRUMMELL, one of the founders of  
the Negro American Academy.
5. HAYNES, REV. LEMUEL. Sermon against Universalism.  
Manchester, New Hampshire. (Widely quoted.)

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1819

1. France abolished slave trade.

1820

1. American Colonization Society issued Memorial to Congress.

Maria Becroft opened school for Negro girls at Georgetown, D.C.

Missouri Compromise.

1821

1. Genius of Universal Emancipation established.
3. Birth of WILLIAM STILL, author.

1822

2. Death of JOHN GLOUCESTER, noted preacher.
3. Birth of HIRAM R. REVELS, first Negro U.S. Senator.

1823

1. Louisa Coston established school for Negro children at Washington, D.C.
3. Birth of WISTAR MIEFLIN GIBBS, anti-slavery lecturer.

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1825

3. Birth of FRANCIS E. WATKINS HARPER.

1826

1. EDWARD JONES graduated from Amherst College.

JOHN BROWN RUSSWORM, first Negro college graduate, graduated from Bowdoin College.

THEODORE S. WRIGHT graduated from Princeton Theological Seminary.

1827

1. Miss Becroft made principal of Seminary for Colored Girls in District of Columbia.
5. HORTON, GEORGE. Verses in Raleigh Register and a Boston newspaper.

1828

2. Death of LOT CAREY, first missionary to Liberia.
3. Birth of E. A. Pollard, author.
6. First issue of Negro publication Rights of All, New York City.

1829

1. Imprisonment of William Lloyd Garrison for anti-slavery sentiments.

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1. St. Francis Academy founded in Baltimore by Negro Catholic Sisters.
2. Death of DAVID WALKER, first Negro to attack slavery through the press.
3. Birth of JOHN M. LANGSTON.

5. HEMMINGWAY, JAMES. Atkinson's Casket, in a musical journal.

HORTON, GEORGE. Hope of Liberty. Raleigh, North Carolina.

HORTON, GEORGE. Poems. Raleigh, North Carolina.

WALKER, DAVID. Appeal.

## 1830

1. WILLIAM WORMLER established school in Washington, District of Columbia, for Negro children.
3. Birth of William F. Allen, author of Slave Songs of the United States.

Birth of BISHOP B. W. ARNETT, author of Biographical Sketch of JAMES M. BELL.

## 1831

1. Free Negroes denied school privileges in Virginia.  
Garrison's Liberator established.
2. Death of RICHARD ALLEN, first bishop and founder of A.M.E. Church.
3. Birth of JOSEPH S. ATTWELL, noted minister in Episcopal Church and worker for state of Liberia.

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1832

1. American Anti-Slavery Society organized in Samuel E. Sewall, 2nd's office.

American Baptist Home Mission Society organized.

BISHOP PAYNE opened pioneer school in South Carolina.

3. Birth of E. W. BLYDEN, author.
4. Thoughts on African Colonization published by William Lloyd Garrison.

1833

3. Birth of EM E. M. BANNISTER, celebrated painter.

Birth of EBENEZER BASSETT, first Negro to hold appointment by U.S. Government. (Consul to Haiti.)

Birth of BISHOP TURNER. (A.M.E.O)

4. Americans called Africans by Lydia Maria Child.

Letters on Slavery by J. D. Paxton.

5. CANNON, REV. N. C. The Rock of Wisdom....to which are added Several Interesting Hymns. New York.

1835

1. Founding of Institution des Orphelins Indigenes in New Orleans, by Widow Bernard.

John F. Cook's school enlarged after riot.



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1836

4. The Slave, or Memoirs of ARCHY MOORE, by R. Hildreth.  
Slavery in the U. S., by J. K. Paulding.

1837

1. Beginning of what is now Cheyney Training School for Teachers, Pennsylvania.

BISHOP PAYNE licensed.

2. Death of Elijah Lovejoy, anti-slavery worker.
3. Birth of AMANDA SMITH, distinguished evangelist.  
Birth of Robert G. Shaw, Commander of Negro Troops.
5. ROPER, MOSES. Adventures and Escape of MOSES ROPER.  
HORTON, GEORGE. Second Edition of HORTON'S Hope of Liberty, Philadelphia.
6. The Weekly Advocate established. New York City.

1838

1. CHARLES LENOX REDMOND lectured against slavery.  
(First Negro to take platform as anti-slavery speaker.)  
FREDERICK DOUGLASS escaped from slavery.
4. Memoir of Elijah P. Lovejoy, by J. C. and O. Lovejoy.
5. HORTON, GEORGE. Hope of Liberty, 3rd ed. (As supplement to Memoirs and Poems of PHILLIS WHEATLEY.
6. WILLIAM WHIPPER became editor of National Reformer.  
First effort in journalism by Philadelphia Negroes.

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1839

1. BISHOP PAYNE ordained.
2. Death of Louisa Coston, teacher.
4. The Sinfulness of Slavery, by Charles Elliott.
6. Colored American established, edited by CHARLES RAY.  
New York City.

1840

1. Beginning of literary activity of WILLIAM C. NELL.  
BISHOP PAYNE opened private school in Philadelphia.  
DR. A. W. ABBOTT admitted to army medical service.  
(Among the first.)  
Negro dialect first used in literature, by Edgar  
Allan Poe in The Gold Bug.
3. Birth of MRS. C. A. ATTWELL, founder of first Negro  
public school in Philadelphia.

1841

1. Beginning of public activity of FREDERICK DOUGLASS.
3. Birth of W. H. CROGMAN, scholar and author.  
Birth of B. K. BRUCE, U. S. Senator (Mississippi).
5. DOUGLASS, FREDERICK. Speech in Nantucket anti-slavery  
meeting.
6. African Methodist Episcopal Church Magazine estab-  
lished. Philadelphia.

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1842

1. B. MACON ALLEN, first Negro lawyer in U.S., allowed to practice law in Maine.

Founding of Congregation of the Sisters of the Holy Family. Baltimore.

2. Death of JAMES FORTEN, soldier.
5. C.C. JONES. Religious Instruction of the Negroes.
6. The Clarion established.

The Elevator established. Philadelphia.

The National Watchman established. Troy, New York.

1843

1. Beginning of literary activity of WILLIAM WELLS BROWN.

Union Benevolent Society organized by Free Negroes, one purpose being to encourage education and industry.

1844

1. Cincinnati Colored High School founded by Rev. Hiram Gilmore.
3. Birth of RICHARD T. GREENER, author and lecturer.
4. African Melodies. Scherff. New York.

1845

3. Birth of EDMONIA LEWIS, first Negro woman sculptor.

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1. B. MACON ALLEN admitted to bar of Massachusetts.
5. HORTON, GEORGE. Miscellaneous Poems. Hillsboro.  
WATSON, HENRY. Narrative of HENRY WATSON, Fugitive Slave.
6. The Genius of Freedom established.

## 1846

1. Beginning of literary activity of FRANCIS E. HARPER.  
BISHOP PAYNE visited London as a delegate to the Evangelical Alliance.  
MOSES DICKSON and eleven others organized "The Knights of Liberty" in St. Louis, to overthrow slavery. Society still exists as "Knights and Daughters of Tabor".  
Organization of American Missionary Association.
3. Birth of R. H. BOYD, founder of Baptist Publishing House.
4. The Kidnapped and Ransomed PETER STILL, by Kate E. Pickard.
5. HARPER, FRANCIS E. Forest Leaves. Baltimore.  
DOUGLASS, FREDERICK. Narrative of my Life. Boston.  
CONNOR, A. J. Publication of early musical selections.

## 1847

3. Birth of DR. WILLIAM H. McALPINE, educator and writer.
6. The North Star established. Rochester, New York.

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6. The Ram's Horn established. New York City.

## 1848

1. BISHOP PAYNE became historian of A.M.E. Church.
3. Birth of SAMUEL MILADY ("SAM LUCAS"), author of Grandfather's Clock was too Tall for the Shelf.
6. The Christian Herald established. Philadelphia.  
The Impartial Citizen established. Boston.

## 1849

1. Avery College established at Alleghany, Pennsylvania.  
Ohio established public schools for colored children.  
WISGAR MIFFLIN GIBBS lectured against slavery.
3. Birth of "BLIND TOM", musical prodigy. (THOMAS GREEN BETHUNE)  
Birth of GEORGE WILLIAMS, historian.
4. The Narrative of HENRY BOX BROWN, by C. Stearns.
5. WILLIAM WELLS BROWN. Slavery Harp, a Collection of Songs. Boston.

## 1850

5. HORTON, GEORGE. Edition of HORTON'S Poems and Essays.  
TRUTH, SOJOURNER. Narrative of Sojourner Truth.

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1851

1. ELIZABETH T. GREENFIELD came into prominence as a singer.
2. Death of JOHN BROWN RUSSWORM, editor of Freedman's Journal, first Negro newspaper published in U.S.
5. NELL, WILLIAM C. Services of Colored Americans in the Wars of 1776 and 1812. Boston.
6. The Colored Man's Journal established.

1852

3. Birth of WILLIAM SCARBOROUGH, scholar and author.
4. Uncle Tom's Cabin, by Harriet B. Stowe.  
Slavery and Anti-slavery, by Godell. New York.
5. DELANEY, MARTIN. Condition and Elevation of Colored People of U.S.  
DOUGLASS, FREDERICK. American Slavery Speech.  
NELL, WILLIAM C. Services of Colored Americans in the War of 1812.  
PAYNE, L. W. Six Years in a Georgia Prison.
6. The Alienated American established. Cleveland, Ohio.  
The Christian Recorder, formerly The Christian Herald, established.

1853

1. Beginning of public activities of ALEXANDER CRUMMELL.  
First Normal School for Colored teachers established in New York City.

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1. Organization of first Colored Y.M.C.A. in U.S.  
Washington, D.C.
4. Negroes in Slavery, by J. H. Van Evrie.  
  
On the Condition of Free People of Color, by John Jay.  
  
Publication of Key to Uncle Tom's Cabin.  
  
Sable Cloud, by Nehemiah Adams. Boston.
5. GREENE, WILLIAM. Narrative of Events in the Life  
of WILLIAM GREENE.  
  
NORTHUP, SOLOMON. Twelve Years a Slave.

## 1854

1. Lincoln University, Pennsylvania, established.
4. A South Side View of Slavery, by Nehemiah Adams.
5. HARPER, FRANCES E. Poems on Miscellaneous Subjects.  
  
HORTON, GEORGE. Edition of GEORGE HORTON'S Poems  
and Essays.

## 1855

2. Death of JOHN F. COOK, teacher.
3. Birth of J. W. E. BOWEN, author and lecturer.
5. DOUGLASS, FREDERICK. My Bondage and Freedom.  
  
NELL, WILLIAM C. The American Patriots. Boston.  
  
PARSONS, C. G. Inside Views of Slavery. Boston.
6. The Herald of Freedom established. Ohio.  
  
The Mirror of the Time established. San Francisco.

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1856

1. Western University, Quindaro, Kansas, founded.

Wilberforce University (M.E. Church), Xenia, Ohio.

4. Dred, a Tale of the Dismal Swamp, by Harriet Beecher Stowe.

Sketch of Laws Relating to Slavery, by G. M. Stroud.

5. CLARK, GEORGE W. The Harp of Freedom (a collection of anti-slavery songs). New York City.

1857

4. American Slavery and Color, by William Chambers.

5. TRUTH, SOJOURNER. Anti-slavery address at Akron, Ohio.

1858

3. Birth of CHARLES W. CHESNUTT.

Birth of BOOKER T. WASHINGTON.

Birth of CHARLES T. WALKER, minister and lecturer.

4. Exiles of Florida, by J. R. Geddings.

1859

3. Birth of HENRY O. TANNER, painter, at Pittsburg.

4. Black Diamonds gathered in the Darky Homes of the South, by E. A. Pollard.

6. The Anglo-American established, New York City.



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1860

2. Death of J. K. Paulding.
3. Birth of GEORGE MARION McCLELLAN, author of poem, The Path of Dreams.
4. Cotton is King, (collections of writings in favor of slavery) by E. N. Elliot. Augusta.
5. HARPER, FRANCES E. Moses, a Story of the Nile. Philadelphia.

1861

1. First School for Freedmen established, at Fortress Monroe, Virginia.
4. American Slavery Justified by the Law of Nature, by Samuel Leaberry.
5. BRAGG, G. F. Afro-American Church Workers. Baltimore.  
BRENT, LINDA. Linda, or Incidents in the Life of a Slave Girl. Boston.  
CAMPBELL, ROBERT. A Pilgrimage to my Mother Land. Philadelphia.

1862

1. BISHOP PAYNE called on President Lincoln in behalf of the "Bill of Emancipation".

Organization of New England Branch of Freedmen's Union Commission.

Organization of New York Branch of Freedmen's Union Commission.

Organization of Pennsylvania Branch of Freedmen's Union Commission.

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1. Organization of The Western Freedmen's Aid Commission.  
Organization of National Freedmen's Relief Association of the District of Columbia.
3. Birth of DR. HENRY R. BUTLER, a contributor to Atlanta Constitution.
4. An Historical Research Respecting Opinions of the Founders of the Republic on Negroes as Slaves, as Citizens, as Soldiers, by George Livermore.
5. CRUMMELL, ALEXANDER. The Future of Africa.

1863

1. BISHOP PAYNE purchased M. E. School at Xenia, Ohio, and named it Wilberforce University.

BISHOP TURNER appointed chaplain in U.S. Army (first Negro chaplain).

DR. A. T. AUGUSTA appointed surgeon of 17th regiment, said to be first Negro medical man commissioned in the United States Army.

Signing of Emancipation Proclamation, by Abraham Lincoln.

West Virginia established public school system.

2. Death of Robert G. Shaw, Commander of Negro Troops.
4. A Journal of a Residence on a Georgia Plantation, by Fannie Kemble. New York.
5. BROWN, WILLIAM WELLS. The Black Man.

BROWN, WILLIAM WELLS. Clotille, a tale of the Southern States.

JACKSON, FANNIE M. Humility. Ohio.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

1864

1. Louisiana established first complete public school system in the South.

Maryland made provision for common schools.

Organization of the Baltimore Association for the Moral and Educational improvement of Colored People.

Private school of MRS. C. A. ATTWELL made part of public school system.

STEPHEN SMITH founded Old Folks Home for infirm Colored people; gave \$150,000 and grounds, etc.

2. Death of O. /P/. Lovejoy.

3. Birth of JOHN WILLIAM BOONE, "BLIND BOONE", musical prodigy.

Birth of JOHN W. GILBERT, first Negro Greek scholar sent to American School at Athens. (Sent from Brown University.)

Birth of C. V. ROMAN.

4. A Scriptural, Ecclesiastical, and Historical View of Slavery, by Bishop J. H. Hopkins.
5. BELL, JAMES MADISON. Poem, The Day and the War. (First anniversary of Emancipation Proclamation. San Francisco.

1865

1. Congress established "Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands".

Exhibition in Boston of bust of Robert Gould Shaw, by EDMONIA LEWIS.

Founding of Shaw University, North Carolina.

Founding of Virginia Union University. Virginia.

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## 1. Freedmen's Bureau created.

JOHN S. ROCK admitted to practice before U.S. Supreme Court. First Negro to be admitted.

Missouri included Negroes in her public school system.

13th Amendment to Constitution adopted.

## 2. Death of Abraham Lincoln.

Death of George Livermore.

## 3. Birth of JOHN WESLEY HOLLOWAY, author of "From the Desert".

Birth of MARGARET M. WASHINGTON, author of my Part in my Husband's Work. (MRS. BOOKER T. WASHINGTON.)

## 5. HORTON, GEORGE. Naked Genius. Raleigh.

6. The Colored American, First Negro newspaper published in the South.

1866

## 1. Founding of Fisk University.

First Negro high school of Kentucky established at Louisville.

Florida taxed her freedmen for common school fund for freedmen.

Lincoln Institute founded, Jefferson City, Missouri.

## 3. Birth of S. W. BACOTE, author of Who's Who among Colored Baptists of United States.

Birth of MONROE N. WORK, Editor of Negro Year Book.

## 5. BELL, JAMES MADISON. The Progress of Liberty. (a poem) San Francisco.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

1867

## 1. Beginning of public activity of JOHN M. LANGSTON

Alabama and Tennessee established public school systems.

College of Pharmacy established at Harvard University.

Establishment of \$3,500,000.00 Educational Fund for South by George Foster Peabody.

Founding of Divinity School at Morehouse College, Georgia.

Founding of Howard University.

Founding of Scotia Seminary. North Carolina.

First Temperance Society among Negroes organized by Freedmen's Bureau.

Kentucky began ~~tax~~ to tax her Negroes for their education.

Moorehouse College founded, Atlanta, Georgia.

Rust College founded. Holly Springs, Mississippi.

Storer College founded. West Virginia.

## 2. Death of IRA ALDREDGE, greatest Negro actor.

## 3. Birth of AZALIA HACKLEY, singer and lecturer.

Birth of R. A. CARTER, author.

Birth of I. GARLAND PENN, author and lecturer.

Birth of KELLEY MILLER, teacher and author.

Birth of ROBERT R. MORON, teacher and author.

4. Slave Songs of the U.S., by William F. Allen.  
New York.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

1868

1. Arkansas, Florida, and South Carolina established public school systems.  
     Founding of Biddle University. North Carolina.  
     Founding of Howard University Medical School.
2. Death of Samuel E. Sewell, anti-slavery lawyer.
3. Birth of WILLIAM STANLEY BRAITHWAITE, poet, essayist, and critic.  
     Birth of WILLIAM EDWARD BURGHARDT DU BOIS.

1869

1. Founding of Claflin College. South Carolina.  
     North Carolina and Virginia established public school systems.  
     Founding of Straight University. Louisiana.  
     Founding of Talladega College.  
     Founding of Tougaloo University.
3. Birth of FRANK B. COFFIN, poet.  
     Birth of JAMES D. CORROTHERS, poet.  
     Birth of SILAS X. FLOYD, poet and teacher.  
     Birth of CHARLES STEWART, noted Negro journalist.
5. DOUGLASS, FREDERICK. The Negro's right to vote.

1870

1. Founding of Clark University. Atlanta, Georgia.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

1870

1. Georgia, Mississippi, and Texas established public school systems.
3. Birth of FLORA BATSON, noted singer.
4. Negro Spirituals, by T. W. Higginson.
5. BELL, JAMES MADISON. The Triumph of Liberty. Detroit.

1871

1. Founding of Benedict College, South Carolina.

1872

1. CHARLOTTE RAY, first colored woman lawyer, graduated from Howard University.
2. Death of E. A. POLLARD, author.
3. Birth of PAUL LAWRENCE DUNBAR.
5. STILL, WILLIAM. The Underground Railroad.

1873

1. Bennett College founded. North Carolina.  
New Orleans College founded. Louisiana.  
Roger Williams University founded. Tennessee.  
Wiley University founded. Texas.
2. Death of CHARLES LENOX REDMOND, first Negro anti-slavery lecturer.

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2. Death of STEPHEN SMITH, philanthropist.
3. Birth of E. J. SCOTT, educator and writer.
4. The Jubilee Singers and their Campaign for \$20,000. Boston.

## 1874

1. Kentucky established a public school system for Negroes.  
Walden College founded. Tennessee.
2. Death of WILLIAM C. NELL, historian.
3. Birth of ALICE NELSON DUNBAR, author.

## 1875

1. Agricultural and Mechanical College for Negroes. Alabama.  
Branch Normal founded. Arkansas.  
Delaware established a system of public schools to include Negroes.  
Knoxville College founded. Tennessee.  
The Avery Fund established, for grade school in University of Pittsburg.
2. Death of G. M. STROUD, author.
3. Birth of ALICE MOORE NELSON (DUNBAR).  
Birth of CARTER G. WOODSON.
4. Hampton and its Students, by Armstrong and Ludlow. New York.



## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

1876

1. E. M. BANNISTER'S pictures awarded medal.
2. Death of ELIZABETH T. GREENFIELD, singer of note.
3. Birth of ALEXANDER ROGERS, author of The Jonah Man.  
Birth of GEORGE WASHINGTON ELLIS.

1877

1. Beginning of literary activity of ALBERT A. WHITMAN.  
Philander-Smith College founded. Arkansas.  
Tillotson College founded. Texas.
3. Birth of GEORGE W. CRAWFORD, author and lawyer.  
Birth of GEORGE ROGNALL MARGETSON, poet.  
Birth of ISAAC FISHER, essayist and editor.
4. The Story of the Jubilee Singers. London.
5. WHITMAN, ALBERT A. Not a Man and Yet a Man.  
Springfield, Massachusetts.

1878

1. Selma University founded. Alabama.
2. Death of Nehemiah Adams, author of A South Side View of Slavery.
3. Birth of CLEMENT RICHARDSON.

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1879

1. Beginning of literary activity of GEORGE WILLIAMS.  
State University (Baptist) founded. Kentucky.
2. Death of William Lloyd Garrison.

1880

1. Founding of National Baptist Convention, at Montgomery, Alabama. REV. WILLIAM McALPIN, first President.  
  
Livingstone College founded. North Carolina.
2. Death of Lydia Maria Child.
3. Birth of CHARLES B. JOHNSON, author of Songs of My People.

Birth of LESLIE PINCKNEY HILL, author of Wings of Oppression.

5. GREENER, RICHARD T. Socrates as a Teacher.  
  
GREENER, RICHARD T. The Intellectual Position of the Negro.  
  
MOORE, J. J. History of the A.M.E.Z. Church. York, Pennsylvania.  
  
SCARBOROUGH, W. First Lessons in Greek. New York.
4. Tales of Uncle Remus, by Joel Chandler Harris.

1881

1. Allen University established. South Carolina.  
  
Bishop College founded. Texas.  
  
Paul Quinn College founded. Texas.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

1. Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College.
2. Death of JOSEPH S. ATTWELL, noted minister and worker for State of Liberia.
3. Birth of WILLIAM PICKENS, author and lecturer and teacher.

## 1882

1. Lane College founded. Tennessee.

The John F. Slater Fund established for training Negro teachers.

2. Death of HENRY GARNETT, educator and preacher.
3. Birth of BENJAMIN GRIFFITH BRAWLEY, author.

Birth of NATHANIEL DETT, author of Listen to de Lambs.

Birth of ANNE SPENCER, author of The Wife-Woman and other poems.

5. CRUMMELL, ALEXANDER. A Defence of the Negro Race in America.

CRUMMELL, ALEXANDER. Sermons and Lectures. The Greatness of Christ.

WILLIAMS, GEORGE. History of the Negro Race from 1619 to 1880. 2 vols.

## 1883

1. Beginning of literary activity of CHARLES W. CHESNUTT.

Hartshorn Memorial College founded. Virginia.

2. Death of WILLIAM CHAMBERS, author.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

2. Death of SOJOURNER TRUTH, anti-slavery lecturer.

5. ANON. The Black Woman of the South, Her Neglect and Her needs.

WAYMAN, A. W. My Recollections of A.M.E. Ministers. Philadelphia.

## 1884

1. Arkansas Baptist College founded. Little Rock.

Guadaloupe College founded. Texas.

3. Birth of WILLIAM E. SCOTT, noted artist.

5. RANDOLF, E. A. The Life of REV. JOHN JASPER. Richmond.

SCARBOROUGH, W. Political Status of the Negro.

TANNER, BENJAMIN T. An Outline of History and Government for the A.M.E. Churchmen. Philadelphia.

WHITMAN, A. A. The Rape of Florida. St. Louis.

## 1885

1. Houston College founded. Texas.

3. Birth of ST. ELMO BRADY, chemist and author.

4. The Silent South, by G. W. Cable.

5. FORTUNE, T. T. White and Black. New York.

PAYNE, BISHOP DANIEL. Domestic Education.

TROTTER, J. M. Music and Some Highly Musical People. Boston.

CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

1886

1. Boylan Home and Industrial School founded. Florida.  
Ingleside Seminary founded. Virginia.  
Kentucky Normal and Industrial Institute for Colored people founded.  
Mary Allen Seminary founded. Texas.
2. Death of CHARLES RAY, editor.
3. Birth of GEORGIA DOUGLAS JOHNSON (MRS.).
5. DOUGLASS, FREDERICK. The Relation Existing between White and Colored People of the U.S. Washington, D.C.

1887

1. Beginning of literary activity of J. W. E. BOWEN.  
FLORA BATSON became noted as a singer.
2. Death of Henry Ward Beecher, anti-slavery orator.
5. BLYDEN, E. W. Christianity, Islam, and the Negro Race. London.  
SIMMONS, WILLIAM J. Men of Mark.  
WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of Works. Denver.

1888

1. The Daniel Hana Fund established.
3. Birth of JAMES FENTON JOHNSON.  
Birth of ROSCOE C. JAMISON, poet.

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5. BROOKS, W. H. Beside the Sea. Poem. In A.M.E.C. Review.

DOUGLASS, FREDERICK. The Life and Times of FREDERICK DOUGLASS. Hartford.

GRINKE, CHARLOTTE L. FORTEN. At Newport.

WILLIAMS, GEORGE. Negro Troops in the Revolution. New York.

## 1889

3. Birth of CLAUDE McKAY, author of Songs of Jamaica, and Spring in New Hampshire.
5. WILLIAMS, GEORGE. History of the Reconstruction of the Insurgent States. 2 vols.

## 1890

1. Central Law School founded. Kentucky.

Morris Brown University founded. Atlanta, Georgia.  
PAUL LAURENCE.

5. DUNBAR, PAUL. Poems of Cabin and Field.

HENDERSON, JOSIE D. HEARD. Morning Glories.

PAYNE, BISHOP DANIEL. History of the A.M.E. Church.

WHITMAN, A. A. Drifted Leaves. St. Louis.

## 1891

1. Georgia State Industrial College founded.
5. CRUMMELL, ALEXANDER. Africa and America.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

5. SHORTER, SUSAN. Heroines of African Methodism.

## 1892

1. Mary Holmes Seminary founded. Mississippi.  
 2. Death of BISHOP DANIEL A. PAYNE.  
 5. HARPER, FRANCES E. Iola Terry. (Novel.) Boston.  
 6. First Negro medical journal issued.

## 1893

4. The History of Slavery in Connecticut. Johns Hopkins Press. 11th Series.  
 The Negro in the District of Columbia. Johns Hopkins Press. 11th Series.  
 5. FRANKLIN, JAMES T. Mid-day Gleanings. Memphis.  
 GREGORY, JAMES M. FREDERICK DOUGLASS, the Orator. Wiley Sons. Springfield, Massachusetts.  
 HARPER, FRANCES E. Moses: A Story of the Nile. 2nd Edition. Philadelphia.  
 SMITH, AMANDA. Autobiography. Chicago.

## 1894

5. LANGSTON, JOHN M. From a Virginia Plantation to the National Capitol. Hartford.  
 WRIGHT, R. R. Negro Education in Georgia. Savannah.  
 6. The Southern Workman founded.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

1895

1. National Association of Colored Women organized.  
National Medical Association (Negro) organized.  
State College for Colored Students established.  
Delaware.
3. Birth of JOSEPH S. COTTER.
5. BIBB, ELOISE. Poems. Monthly Review Press.  
PAUL LAURENCE.  
DUNBAR, ^ Majors and Minors. New York.  
DUNBAR, ALICE NELSON. Violets and Other Tales.  
DAVIS, D. WEBSTER. Idle Moments. Baltimore.  
HARPER, FRANCES E. Idylls of the Biule. Philadelphia.  
McCLELLAN, GEORGE M. Poems and storiottes. Nashville.  
WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Address, Cast Down your  
Bucket Where You Are. Atlanta.

1896

1. Barber Memorial Seminary founded. Alabama.  
National Baptist Publishing House established by  
DR. R. H. BOYD.
2. Death of Harriet Beecher Stowe.
4. Servitude in the Colony of North Carolina. Johns  
Hopkins Studies. 14th Series.  
A Study of Slavery in New Jersey. Johns Hopkins  
Studies. 14th Series.
5. DU BOIS, W. E. B. Mortality Among Negroes in Cities.  
Atlanta University Series.  
DU BOIS, W. E. B. Suppression of the African Slave  
Trade. Longmans, Green Company. New York.



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- PAUL LAURENCE,  
 5. DUNBAR. ^ Lyrics of Lowly Life. New York.  
 PAUL LAURENCE.  
 DUNBAR. ^ The Uncalled. (Novel.)
- HARPER, FRANCES E. Sketches of Southern Life.

1897

1. The American Negro Academy organized.  
 The American Negro Historical Society organized.
4. HARRIET (HARRIET TUBMAN), The Moses of Her People,  
 by Sarah H. Bradford.
5. COFFIN, FRANK B. COFFIN'S Poems and Ajax's Ordeals.  
 Little Rock, Arkansas.  
 DAVIS, D. WEBSTER. Weh Down Souf, and Other Poems.  
 Cleveland.
- DU BOIS, W. E. B. Social and Physical Conditions of  
 Negroes in Cities. Atlanta University Series.  
 PAUL LAURENCE.  
 DUNBAR. ^ Lyrics of Lowly Life. London.
- FORDHAM, MARY WESTON. Magnolia Leaves, with  
 introduction by BOOKER T. WASHINGTON.
- GREGORY, JAMES M. In Memoriam: FREDERICK DOUGLASS.
- ROMAN, C. V. Science and Christian Ethics.
6. Tuskegee Student established.

1898

2. Death of U.S. Senator, B. K. BRUCE, author and  
 statesman.
4. Anti-Slavery Leaders of North Carolina. Johns  
 Hopkins Studies. 16th Series.

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## 5. CARVER, G. W. Experiments with Sweet Potatoes.

CARVER, G. W. Feeding Acorns.

CROGMAN, WILLIAM H. Progress of a Race. Atlanta.

COTTER, JOSEPH S. Links of Friendship. Louisville, Kentucky.

CRUMMELL, ALEXANDER. The Attitude of the American Mind towards the Negro Intellect. Washington.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Some Efforts of Negroes for Social Betterment. Atlanta University Series.

PAUL LAURENCE.

DUNBAR, ^ Folks from Dixie.

PAUL LAURENCE.

DUNBAR, ^ Lyrics of Lowly Life. New York. New Edition.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Address, at Harvard Alumni Dinner (The Negro is coming up). Cambridge Massachusetts.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Address, Choosing the Better Part. Chicago.

1899

## 1. META VAUX WARRICK attracted attention of Rodin.

## 5. CARVER, G. W. Fertilizer Experiments with Cotton.

CHESNUTT, CHARLES W. FREDERICK DOUGLASS: A Biography. Small, Maynard Company. Boston.

CHESNUTT, CHARLES W. The Conjure Woman (stories). Houghton, Mifflin Company. Boston.

CHESNUTT, CHARLES W. The Wife of His Youth, and Other Stories of the Color Line. Houghton, Mifflin Company.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. The Negro in Business. Atlanta University Series.

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5. DU BOIS, W. E. B. The Philadelphia Negro.  
University of Pennsylvania. Philadelphia.

PAUL LAURENCE.  
DUNBAR, ^ Lyrics of Hearthside.

PAUL LAURENCE.  
DUNBAR, ^ Lyrics of Lowly Life. New York.

DUNBAR, ALICE NELSON. The Goddess of St. Roque.  
Dodd, Mead Company.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. The Future of the American  
Negro. Small, Maynard Company. Boston.

## 1900

1. Samuel Houston College founded. Texas.

Beginning of Literary Activity of GEORGE REGNALL  
MARGETSON.

National Negro Business League organized.

4. Publication of Proceedings of Southern Sociological  
Congress.

5. BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. Verses in magazines  
and newspapers. 1900 - 1904.

CHESNUTT, CHARLES W. The House Behind the Cedars.  
(Novel.) Houghton Mifflin Company. Boston.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. The College Bred Negro. Atlanta  
University Series.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. The Love of Landry. (Novel.)

DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. The Strength of Gideon and  
Other Stories.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Uncle Eph's Christmas. (A  
one-act musical sketch.) Washington, D.C.

FLOYD, SILAS X. Poems in Judge, Lippincott's,  
Youth's Companion, and Leslie's Weekly. 1900 - 1920.

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5. FLOYD, SILAS X. Sonnets in New York Independent.  
1900 - 1910.

FRANKLIN, JAMES. Jessamine Poems. Memphis.

HARPER, FRANCES E. Poems. Philadelphia.

LOVINGOOD, R. S. Why Hic, Haec, Hoc, for the Negro?

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. The Story of my Life and  
Work. Nichols and Company. Naperville, Illinois.

WILLIAMS, FANNIE B. New Negro For a New Century.

WORK, MONROE N. The Negro and Crime in Chicago.  
American Journal of Sociology.

## 1901

5. ARNETT, BISHOP B. W. The Poetical Works of JAMES  
MADISON BELL, with Biographical Sketch. Lansing,  
Michigan.

CARVER, G. W. Cercaspara of Macon County, Alabama.

CHESNUTT, CHARLES W. The Marrow of Tradition.  
Houghton, Mifflin Company. Boston.

CLEM, CHARLES E. EDMOND. Rhymes of a Rhymester.  
Oklahoma.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. The Negro Common School. Atlanta  
University Series.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Candle Lighting Time.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. The Fanatics. (Novel.)

GRIMKE, ARCHIBALD. Right on the Scaffolds.

MCGIRT, JAMES E. Avenging the Maine, 3rd Edition.  
Philadelphia.

MCGIRT, JAMES E. Some Simple Songs. Philadelphia.

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## 5. THOMAS, W. H. American Negro.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Up from Slavery: An Autobiography. Doubleday, Page and Company. New York.

WHITMAN, A. A. An Idyll of the South. New York.

6. Boston Guardian established. Edited by MONROE TROTTER.

## 1902

## 1. General Education Board established.

Beginning of literary activity of GEORGE WASHINGTON ELLIS.

## 5. BRAWLEY, B. G. A Toast to Love and Death. Atlanta.

CROGMAN, W. H. and GIBSON. Colored Americans.

CULP, D. W. Twentieth Century Negro. Naperville, Illinois.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. The Negro Artisan. Atlanta University Series.

FLOYD, SILAS X. The Life of C. T. WALKER.

GIBBS, M. W. Shadows and Light: An Autobiography. Washington, D.C.

GRIGGS, SUTTON E. Unlettered. (Novel.) Nashville.

PENN, I. GARLAND and J. W. E. BOWEN. The United Negroes, etc. Proceedings of the Negro Young People's Christian Congress. Atlanta.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Character Building. Doubleday, Page and Company. New York.

## 1903

## 1. General Education Board chartered.

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1. Luther College founded. Louisiana.

META WARRICK (Sculptress) exhibited her masterpiece in Paris.

4. References on Negro Question, compiled by A. C. P. Griffin. Library of Congress.

5. CARVER, G. W. Cow Peas.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. The Negro Church. Atlanta University Series.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. The Souls of Black Folk. Essays and Sketches. A. C. McClung and Company. Chicago.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAWRENCE. In Old Plantation Days.

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DUNBAR, PAUL LAWRENCE. When Malindy Sings.

WORK, MONROE N. Negre Real Estate Holdings in Chicago. Thesis for M.A.

## 1904

1. Dayton Training School for Girls founded.

National Association for Teachers in Colored Schools organized.

4. Study of Negroes in United States. Government Printing Press. Washington, D.C.

5. DINKINS, CHARLES R. Lyrics of Love. Columbia, South Carolina.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Negro Church. In Science Quarterly.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Notes on Negro Crime. Atlanta University Series.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAWRENCE. Lil' Gal.

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5. DUNBAR, PAUL LAWRENCE. Poems of Cabin and Field. New York.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAWRENCE. The Heart of Happy Hollow.

JOHNSON, REV. H. F. Wings of Ebony. Negro Soul Soarings. A.M.E. Book Concern.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Working with the Hands. Doubleday, Page and Company. New York.

## 1905

4. From Servitude to Service. Boston Unitarian Association.

5. BRAWLEY, B. G. The Problem, and Other Poems. Atlanta.

CAMPBELL, JAMES EDWIN. Echoes from the Cabin and Elsewhere. Chicago.

CARVER, G. W. Cotton Growing on Sand Upland Soils.

CARVER, G. W. How to Build up Wornout Soils.

CHESNUTT, CHARLES W. The Colonel's Dream. (Novel.) Doubleday, Page and Company. New York.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. A Select Bibliography of the Negro American. Atlanta University Series.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAWRENCE. Howdy, Howdy, Howdy.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAWRENCE. Lyrics of Sunshine and Shadow.

FLOYD, SILAS X. FLOYD'S Flowers. Atlanta.

FORD, REV. R. E. Brown's Chapel. (A Story in verse.)

FORTUNE, T. THOMAS. DREAMS OF LIFE. New York.

GRIGGS, SUTTON E. The Hindered Hand. Nashville.

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5. WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Religious Life of the North American Negro.

WORK, MONROE N. Gucher Folklore. Southern Workman.

1906

1. Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity organized at Cornell University.

Discontinuance of Voice of the Negro.

2. Death of PAUL LAURENCE DUNBAR.

Death of FLORA BATSON, noted singer.

5. ALLEN, J. M. Rhymes, Tales, and Rhymed Tales. Topeka, Kansas.

BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. The Book of Elizabethan Verse. (Anthology.) H. B. Turner and Company. Boston.

BRAWLEY, B. G. The Desire of the Moth for the Star. (A Collection of Poems on Various Subjects.)

CARVER, G. W. Saving the Sweet Potato Crop.

CARVER, G. W. Successful Yields of Small Grains.

CARVER, G. W. The San Jose Scale in Alabama.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Atlanta Requiem. Independent.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Health and Physique of the American Negro. Atlanta University Series.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Joggin' Erlong.

KING, JEFFERSON. Darky Philosophy told in Rhyme. Chicago.

TALBERT, HORACE. The Sons of Allen. Xenia, Ohio.

TERRILL, MARY CHURCH. PAUL LAURENCE DUNBAR. Voice of the Negro.



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5. VASS, S. N. Progress of the Negro Race. Raleigh.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Putting the Most Into Life. Crowell and Company. New York.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. FREDERICK DOUGLASS. (American Crisis Biographies) Philadelphia.

WORK, MONROE N. Some Parallelisms in the Development of African and Other Races. Southern Workman.

1907

1. Anna J. Jeane's Fund established.

National Training School for Women and Girls founded.

2. Death of DR. WILLIAM H. McALPINE, organizer and first president of the National Baptist Convention, writer.

5. BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. The Book of Elizabethan Verse. 2nd edition. Boston.

CARVER, G. W. Saving the Wild Plum.

CORROTHERS, REV. JAMES D. Selected Poems.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Economic Cooperation Among Negro Americans. Atlanta University Series.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. The Negro in the South, with W. E. B. DU BOIS and BOOKER T. WASHINGTON. Philadelphia.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Christmas is a 'Comin', and Other Poems. New York.

McGIRT, JAMES E. The Triumph of Ephriam. Philadelphia.

SHACKELFORD, WILLIAM H. Poems.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Negro Doctor in the South. Independent.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

5. WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. The Negro in Business. Hertel, Jenkins and Company. Chicago.

WIGGINS, LIDA KECK. Life and Works of PAUL LAWRENCE DUNBAR. Naperville, Illinois.

WORK, MONROE N. The African medicine man. Southern Workman.

1908

2. Death of "BLIND TOM", THOMAS BETHUNE, musical prodigy.

Death of EBENEZER BASSETT, first Negro to hold appointment by United States government.

5. BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. Book of Elizabethan verse. London.

BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. The House of Falling Leaves. (Poems.) Luce and Company. Boston.

CARVER, G. W. How to Cook Cow Peas.

CARVER, G. W. Increasing the Yield of Corn.

CARVER, G. W. Relation of Weather and Soil Condition to the Fruit and Industry of South East Alabama.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. The Negro American Family. Atlanta University Series.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAWRENCE. Lyrics of Lowly Life. Introduction by W. D. Howells. New York.

HATCHER, WILLIAM D. John Jasper. Fleming H. Revell Company. New York.

MILLER, KELLEY. Race Adjustment. Neal Publishing Company.

WORK, MONROE N. An African System of Writing. Southern Workman.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

5. WORK, MONROE N. How to Fit the School to the Needs of the Community. Southern Workman.

WORK, MONROE N. The Negro Church and the Community. Southern Workman.

6. Journal of the (Negro) National Medical Association.

1909

1. Phelps-Stokes Fund established.

National Negro Bar Association organized.

National Negro Press Association organized.

National Association for the Advancement of Colored People organized.

5. BOYD, R. H. Sunday School Commentary. Nashville.

BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. The Book of Georgian Verse. (Anthology.)

CARVER, G. W. How to Make Cotton Growing Pay.

CARVER, G. W. Some Ornamental Plants of Macon County.

COTTER, JOSEPH S. A White Song and a Black One. Louisville, Kentucky.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Efforts for Social Betterment Among Negro Americans. Atlanta University Series.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Georgia Negroes and their Fifty Millions of Savings. World's Work.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. John Brown. (American Crisis Biographies.) George W. Jacobs and Company. Philadelphia.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAWRENCE. Lyrics of Sunshine and Shadow.

FERMER, MOHN P. Religious Folk Songs of the Negro. Hampton, Virginia.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

5. FISHER, ISAAC. Plan to give South a System of Highways suited to its Needs. (Prize Essay. Manufacture's Record. Baltimore.)

FISHER, ISAAC. German and American Methods of regulating Trusts. Hart, Schaffner and Marx Economic Committee. (Prize Essay.) Chicago.

HARPER, WALTER EVERETT. Chords and Discords. Washington.

McGIRT, JAMES E. For Your Sweet Sake. John C. Winston Company. Philadelphia.

PENN, I. GARLAND. The United Negro. Atlanta.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Slavery in Massachusetts. Colored American.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Negro and the Solid South. Independent.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Negro's Place in American Life. Outlook.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Negro Rural Schools and Teachers. Southern Workman.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Relation of Industrial Education to National Progress. Annals of American Academy of Political and Social Science.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Some Results of the Armstrong Idea. Southern Workman.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. The Story of the Negro. Doubleday, Page and Company. New York.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. The South and Negro Education. Southern Workman.

WHEATLEY, PHILLIS. Reprint of Works. Philadelphia.

WORK, MONROE N. The African Family as an Institution. Southern Workman.

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1910

## 1. Negro National Educational Congress.

National Equal Rights League organized.

Negro Society for Historical Research organized.

## 5. CARVER, G. W. Nature Study and Gardening for Rural Schools.

CARVER, G. W. Possibilities of the Sweet Potato in Macon County, Alabama.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Negro Property. World Today.DU BOIS, W. E. B. Reconstruction and It's Benerits. American History Review.DU BOIS, W. E. B. Souls of White Folks. Independent.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. The College Bred Negro American. Atlanta University Series.

HARTSHORN, WILLIAM NEWTON. Era of Progress and Promise. Boston.

JOHNSON, MAGGIE POGUE. Virginia Dreams.

JONES, EDWARD S. A Sylvan Cabin. Boston.

RAY, CORDELIA. Poems. New York.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Language Lessons. Tuskegee Institute Press.

SCOTT, E. J. Is Liberia Worth Saving?

SCOTT, E. J. Tuskegee and Its People. Doubleday, Page Company. New York.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Educate Six Million Negro Children. World's Work.WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. University Education For Negroes. Independent.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

5. WORK, MONROE N. African Agriculture. Southern Workman.
6. Founding of The Crisis.  
Founding of Fisk University News.

1911

1. Trustees of Phelps-Stokes Fund, incorporated.  
Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity organized at Indiana University.  
Negro Society of Historical Research organized.  
National League on Urban Conditions Among Negroes organized.
2. Death of FRANCES E. HARPER.
5. BRAWLEY, B. G. The Dawn, and Other Poems. Washington, D.C.  
CARVER, G. W. Cotton Growing for Rural Schools.  
CARVER, G. W. Some Possibilities of the Cow Peas in Macon County, Alabama.  
CARVER, G. W. White and Colored Washing With Native Clays from Macon County, Alabama.  
CLIFFORD, CARRIE W. Race Rhymes. Washington.  
DAVIS, D. WEBSTER. The Life and Public Service of the REV. WILLIAM W. BROWN.  
DU BOIS, W. E. B. Forty Years of Freedom. Missionary Review of the World.  
DU BOIS, W. E. B. The Common School and the Negro American. Atlanta University Series.  
DU BOIS, W. E. B. The Negro. Home University Library Series. Henry Holt and Company. New York.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

5. DU BOIS, W. E. B. The Quest of the Silver Fleece.  
(Novel.) A. C. McClurg and Company. Chicago.

JONES, E. SMITH. The Sylvan Cabin.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Durham, a city of Negro  
Enterprise. Southern Workman.

THOMAS, I. L. Methodism and the Negro. Cincinnati.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Information on Negro Colleges.  
World's Work.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. My larger Education.  
Doubleday, Page and Company. New York.

WORK, MONROE N. African Agriculture. Southern  
Workman.

1912

1. Committee of Twelve organized. (1912?)

5. BEADLE, S. A. Lyrics of the Underworld. Jackson,  
Mississippi.

CARVER, G. W. Dairying in Connection with Farming.

CARVER, G. W. Poultry Raising in Mason County.

CARVER, G. W. The Pickling and Curing of Meats.

CARVER, G. W. The Canning and Preserving of Fruits  
and Vegetables in the Home.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. The Negro American Artisan.  
Atlanta University Series.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Upbuilding of Black Durham.  
World's Work.

FISHER, ISAAC. The Ten Best Reasons why People should  
live in Missouri. (St. Louis Post Dispatch. Prize  
Essay.)

HENSON, MATT. A Negro at the North Pole. New York.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

5. KENNEY, J. A. The Negro in Medicine. Tuskegee Institute.
- MURRAY, DANIEL. Encyclopedia of the Negro. Washington.
- PICKENS, WILLIAM. Utica. Independent.
- RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. BOOKER T. WASHINGTON. Ambition.
- RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. GEORGE W. CARVER. Technical World.
- RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Slave Superstition. Southern Workman.
- ROMAN, C. V. Religion, a Necessity to Man.
- WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Is the Negro having a fair Chance. Century.
- WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Negro Crime and Strong Drink. Journal of American Institute.
- WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. The Negro and Illiteracy. Independent.
- WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. The Man Furthest Down. Doubleday, Page and Company. Garden City, New York.
- WORK, M. N. Negro Year Book, 1st Edition. Tuskegee, Alabama.
- YOUNG, CHARLES. Military Morals of Nations and Races. Kansas City.

1913

2. Death of DR. A. W. ABBOTT, one of the first Negro Doctors admitted to Army Service.
- Death of HARRIET TUBMAN, abolitionist.
5. BACOTE, S. W. Who's Who Among the Colored Baptists of the U.S. Hudson Publishing Company. Kansas City, Missouri.



## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

5. BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. Anthology of Magazine Verse for 1913. Including the Magazines and the Poets, a review. Cambridge, Massachusetts.

BRAWLEY, B. G. A Short History of the American Negro. Macmillan Company.

CARVER, G. W. A Study in the Soils in Macon County, Alabama, and their adaptability to certain Crops.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Morals and Manners Among Negroes. Atlanta University Series.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Negro in Literature and Art. (American Academy of Political and Social Science.)

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Social Effects of Emancipation. Survey.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAURENCE. Complete Poems.

DUNBAR, ALICE NELSON. Masterpieces of Negro Eloquence. Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

FULLER, F. A. Twenty Years of Public Life. Memphis.

GAUDET, MRS. F. J. He Leadeth Me, an Autobiography. New Orleans.

HARE, MAUD CENEY. NORRIS WRIGHT CANEY. New York.

JOHNSON, JAMES F. A Little Dreaming. Peterson Enotyping Company. Chicago.

LINDEN, CHARLOTTE E. Scraps of June.

PHILLIPS, J. T. A Quick Review in English Grammar. Petersburg.

PICKENS, WILLIAM. FREDERICK DOUGLASS. (Lecture.)

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Building Rural Schools. (Booklet.) Tuskegee Institute Press.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Early Days at Tuskegee. Southern Workman.

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5. RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. What Negroes are doing in Durham. Southern Workman.

ROMAN, C. V. Racial Self Respect.

TIMBERLAKE, C. L. Household Ethics and Industrial Training in Colored Schools. Frankfort.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Industrial Education, Public Schools, and the Negroes. Annals of American Academy of Political and Social Science.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. New Type of Rural School for Negroes. Survey.

WORK, MONROE N. Negro Criminality in South. Annals of American Academy of Political and Social Science.

1914

1. Rosenwald Fund established.

5. ADAMS, WELLINGTON. Lyrics of an Humble Birth. Washington, D.C.

ALEXANDER, CHARLES. The Battles and Victories of Allen Allenworth.

BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. Anthology or Magazine Verse for 1914.

BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. The Book of Georgian Verse, etc. London.

CORBETT, MAURICE N. The Harp of Ethiopia. Nashville, Tennessee.

CORROTHERS, REV. JAMES D. The Dream and the Song.

CASEY, A. B. American English Law on Titles.

CRAWFORD, GEORGE W. Prince Hal to His Followers.

CROMWELL, J. W. The Negro in American History.

DANCER, W. E. Today and Yistiday. Tuskegee, Alabama.

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5. DUNBAR, PAUL LAWRENCE. *Speakin' o' Christmas*.  
 ELLIS, GEORGE W. *Negro Culture in West Africa*.  
 The Neale Publishing Company. New York.
- FISHER, ISAAC. *What We Have Learned About Rum*.  
 Essay. Everybody's Magazine.
- MECKLIN, JOHN M. *Democracy and Race Friction*.  
 Macmillan. New York.
- MILLER, KELLEY. *Out of the House of Bondage*.  
 Neale Publishing Company. New York.
- MATON, ROBERT R. *Signs of Growing Cooperation*.  
Southern Workman.
- O'HARA, J. M. *The Ebon Muse and Other Poems made  
 English*. Leon Laveaux. Portland.
- ROMAN, C. V. *A Fraternity Message*. Christian  
 Herald. Toronto.
- ROMAN, C. V. *Racial Problems and Health*.
- ROMAN, C. V. *The Church in Relation to Growing Race  
 Pride*.
- STEWART, T. G. *The Haitian Revolution*. New York.
- WORK, MONROE, *The Negro Industrial Problem*.  
 & Southern Workman.

## 1915

1. Slater Fund expended \$68,808 toward Negro Education.  
 (1914-1915)
- National Negro Health Week began.
- Educational Tour of Louisiana led by BOOKER T.  
 WASHINGTON.
- ERNEST JUST awarded Spenjarn medal. Research in  
 Biology.
2. Death of WISTAR MIFFLIN GIBBS, lecturer.

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2. Death of JAMES M. GREGORY, author.

Death of BISHOP TURNER.

4. Comprehensive Survey of all Private and Public Schools for Negroes, by Thomas Jesse Jones.

5. ASHBY, WILLIAM. Redder Blood.

BATTLE, EFFIE T. Gleanings from Dixie Land. Okalona, Mississippi.

BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. Anthology of Magazine Verse for 1915. New York.

BROOKS, W. S. Foot Prints of a Black Man in the Holy Land. St. Louis.

CARVER, G. W. A New Prolific Variety of Corn.

CARVER, G. W. Alfalfa, the King of all Fodder. Plants successfully grown in Macon County, Alabama.

CARVER, G. W. Helps for Hard Time.

CARVER, G. W. How to Raise Pigs with Little Money.

CARVER, G. W. Possibilities of the Sweet Potato in Macon County, Alabama.

CARVER, G. W. Smudging an Orchard with Native Materials of Alabama.

CARVER, G. W. When, What, and How to Can, or Preserve Fruits and Vegetables in the Home.

FORTSON, BETTIOLA HELOISE. Mental Pearls; Original Poems and Essays. Chicago.

FUEL, MELISSA. BLIND BOONE, His Work and Achievements.

GILMORE, G. F. The Problem of Military Novel. Rochester, New York.

HAMMON, JUPITER. Poems and Address of OSCAR WEGELIN. New York.

HICKS, WILLIAM. History of Louisiana Negro Baptists. Nashville.

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5. HOLTZCLAW, W. H. The Black Man's Burden. New York.
- JOHNSON, ADOLPHUS. The Silver Chord. Philadelphia.
- JOHNSON, JAMES F. Songs of the Soil. Trachelburg Company. New York.
- JOHNSON, JAMES WELDON. Gayescas, or the Rival Lovers. New York.
- LEE, R. L. Racial Episcopacy. Greenville, Mississippi.
- LYNCH, CHARLES. Gladys Klyne and more Harmony.
- MEANS, STERLING M. The Deserted Cabin and Other Poems. Atlanta.
- ROMAN, C. V. The Negro Woman and Health Problems.
- SHACKELFORD, WILLIAM H. Along the Highway. Nashville.
- STEWART, MRS. S. M. Women in Medicine. Wilberforce, Ohio.
- WALKER, T. H. B. J. JOHNSON, or the Unknown Man. De Land, Florida.
- WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Are We Making Good? Independent.
- WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Inferior and Superior Races. North American Review.
- WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. My View of Segregation Laws. New Republic.

1916

2. Death of "SAM LUCAS" (SAMUEL MILADY), author of Grandfather's Clock was too Tall for the Shelf.
- MARTHA SCOFIELD, Pioneer Negro Educator, by Dr. Matilda A. Evans. Columbia.

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5. BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. Anthology of Magazine Verse for 1916. New York.

CARVER, G. W. How to grow Peanuts: 105 Ways of Preparing them for Human Consumption.

CARVER, G. W. How to Live Comfortably this Winter.

CARVER, G. W. Three Delicious Meals Every Day for the Farmer.

CARVER, G. W. What Shall We do for Fertilizer this Year?

DUNBAR, ALICE NELSON. People of Color in Louisiana. Journal of Negro History.

DUNBAR, PAUL LAWRENCE. Complete Poems. New York.

MARGETSON, GEORGE R. The Fledgling Bard, and the Poetry Society. Badger. Boston.

McCLELLAN, GEORGE M. The Path of Dreams. Louisville.

MATON, ROBERT R. Racial Good Will.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. BOOKER T. WASHINGTON, Servant of His Fellow Men. Missionary Review of the World.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Examining the Near Illiterate. Southern Workman.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Simon and the Black Gum Tree. In Nursery Tales from Many Lands. Scribner.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. The Spirit of Tuskegee. Survey.

ROMAN, C. V. American Civilization and the Negro. Philadelphia.

SCOTT, E. J. and STOWE. BOOKER T. WASHINGTON, Builder of Civilization. Doubleday, Page and Company. New York.

WASHINGTON, BOOKER T. Fifty Years of Negro Progress. Farmer.

WORK, MONROE N. The Passing Tradition and the African Civilization. Journal of Negro History.

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5. WRIGHT, R. R., JR. Centennial Encyclopedia of A.M.E. Church. Philadelphia.
6. Journal of Negro History (Quarterly) established.

1917

4. Granny Maumee, by Torrence Ridgley. Macmillan Company. New York.
  - (2) The Rider of Dreams, by Torrence Ridgley. Macmillan Company.
  - (1) Simon, the Cyrenian, by Torrence Ridgley. Macmillan Company.
5. ADAMS, C. Ethiopia, the Land of Promise.
 

BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. Anthology of Magazine Verse for 1917. Small Maynard and Company. Boston.

BRAITHWAITE, WILLIAM STANLEY. The Poetic Year for 1916. A Critical Anthology. Small Maynard and Company. Boston.

BRAWLEY, B. G. History of Morehouse College. Atlanta.

CARMICHAEL, W. TURNER. From the Heart of Folks and Other Poems.

CARTER, R. A. Morning meditations and Other Selections. Atlanta.

CARVER, G. W. How to Dry Fruits and Vegetables.

CARVER, G. W. Twelve Ways to Meet the New Economic Conditions Here in the South.

FLEMING, SARAH LEE. Hope's Highway. New York.

HENDERSON, G. W. Seaman Studies. Philadelphia.

JOHNSON, J. W. Fifty Years and Other Poems. New York.

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5. MOTON, ROBERT R. Tuskegee's Ideals for the Negro.  
Missionary Review.

SHEPPARD, W. H. Presbyterian Pioneers in the Congo.  
Richmond.

1918

5. BRADY, ST. ELMO. Household Chemistry for Girls.  
Tuskegee Institute.

BRAWLEY, B. G. Africa and the War. New York.

BRAWLEY, B. G. The Negro in Literature and Art.  
Durfield and Company.

BRAWLEY, B. G. New Era Declamations. Sewanee Press.

BRAWLEY, B. G. Our Negro Neighbors. Macmillan.

BRAWLEY, B. G. Women of Achievement. A.B.H.M.  
Society. Chicago.

CARMICHAEL, W. T. In the Heart of a Folk. Boston.

CARVER, G. W. How to Make Sweet Potato Flour.

CARVER, G. W. How the Farmer can Save His Sweet  
Potatoes.

COTTER, J. S. Band of Gideon and Other Lyrics.  
Boston.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. An Autobiography, The Crisis.

DUNBAR, ALICE NELSON. Life and Works of PAUL  
LAWRENCE DUNBAR.

EDWARDS, W. J. Twenty-five Years in the Black Belt.  
Boston.

JAMISON, ROSCOE C. The Negro Soldier.

MOSSELL, MRS. N. F. Afro-American Women.

MOTON, ROBERT R.- An Autobiography. World's Work.



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5. ROMAN, C. V. Unsatisfied Valance. The Social Hygiene Quarterly.

ROMAN, C. V. Walking in the Light.

WOODSON, CARTER G. A Century of Negro Migration. Washington.

1919

2. Death of JAMES D. CORROTHERS, poet and essayist.

Death of JOSEPH COTTER, poet.

BEASLEY, D. L. The Negro Trail Blazers of California.

BRAWLEY, B. G. A Short History of the American Negro. Revised Edition. Macmillan.

BRAWLEY, B. G. Women of Achievement. New York.

COPPPEN, L. J. Unwritten History. Philadelphia.

DUNBAR, ALICE NELSON. Negro Women In the World War.

FULLILOVE, M. S. Who is Responsible? Cincinnati.

HOLLOWAY, J. W. From the Desert. New York.

JONES, G. H. Education in Theory and Practice. Boston.

RICHARDSON, CLEMENT. Cyclopedia of Colored Race. National Publishing Company. Montgomery, Alabama.

SCOTT, E. J. History of American Negro in World War.

WILKES, LAURA E. Missing Pages in American History. Washington, D.C.

WOODSON, CARTER G. The Education of the Negro prior to 1861. Washington, D.C.

WORK, MONROE N. Negro Year Book. 7th Edition.

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1920

2. Death of GEORGE WASHINGTON ELLIS, author and lecturer.
5. ANDREWS, R. M. John Merrick, a Biographical Sketch. Durham, North Carolina.

DU BOIS, W. E. B. Dark Water. Harcourt, Brace and Howe. New York.

FLEMING, SARAH LEE. Cloud and Sunshine.

GREENE, J. P. Fact Stranger than Fiction. Cleveland.

GRIMKE, A. W. Rachael, a Play in 3 Acts. Boston.

HUNTON, A. W. and K. M. JOHNSON. Two Colored Women with the American Expeditionary Forces. Boston.

JOHNSON, FENTON. Tales of Darkest Africa. Chicago.

MASON, M. and A. FURR. The American Negro Soldier with the Red Hand. Boston.

MOTON, ROBERT R. Finding a Way Out. New York.

SCOTT, E. J. Migration of the Negro during the War. Oxford Press.

STEWART, T. A. Fifty Years in the Gospel Ministry. Philadelphia.

WRIGHT, ZARA. White and Black Tangled Threads. Chicago.

1921

2. Death of LUCIAN B. WATKINS, author of Drama. Talley Brothers.

Death of CHARLES T. WALKER, minister and lecturer.

BRAWLEY, B. G. A Short History of the English Drama. Harcourt, Brace and Company. New York.

## CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF NEGRO AMERICAN LITERATURE

5. BRAWLEY, B. G. A Social History of the American Negro. Macmillan Company. New York.

HILL, LESLIE PINCKNEY. The Wings of Oppression. Boston.

MILLER, KELLEY. An Open Letter to President Harding. Is Race Difference Fundamental, External, Inescapable? Washington, D.C.

WOODSON, CARTER G. The History of the Negro Church. Associated Publishers. Washington, D.C.

## 1922

2. Death of R. H. BOYD, founder of Baptist Publishing House.

Death of Mrs. C. A. Atwell, founder of first Negro public school in Philadelphia.

4. Gonzales, Ambrose E. Black Border; Gullah Stories of the Carolina Coast.

5. BRAGG, GEORGE E. The History of the Afro-American Group of the Episcopal Church.

BULLARD, M. H. Heart to Heart Talks with Teachers. Atlanta.

FISHER, MILES MARK. The Master's Slave. (Biography.)

JACKSON, W. C. A Boy's Life of BOOKER T. WASHINGTON.

HAYNES, GEORGE E. The Trend of the Races.

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